

## MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(21)

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**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** May 9, 2006

**FROM:** Murray A. Greenberg  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution Urging the  
Florida Legislature to  
Enact Legislation Removing  
The Limitation on the  
Amount of Proceeds which  
May be Deposited into the  
State Housing Trust Fund

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The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of  
Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle and Commissioner Katy Sorenson.



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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- ☐ No committee review

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
Veto \_\_\_\_\_  
Override \_\_\_\_\_

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05-09-06

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION URGING THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE TO  
ENACT LEGISLATION REMOVING THE LIMITATION ON  
THE AMOUNT OF PROCEEDS WHICH MAY BE DEPOSITED  
INTO THE STATE HOUSING TRUST FUND

**WHEREAS**, the proceeds deposited into the State Housing Trust Fund funds the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program (SHIP program) which provides funds to counties and eligible municipalities as an incentive for the creation of local housing partnerships, to expand production and preservation of affordable housing, and to increase housing-related employment; and

**WHEREAS**, effective July 1, 2007 Section 201.15, Florida Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 2005-92, Laws of Florida, will limit the amount of proceeds which may be deposited into the State Housing Trust Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, limiting the amount of proceeds which may be deposited into the State Housing Trust Fund will negatively impact the creation and availability of much needed affordable housing within Miami-Dade County and other localities within the State; and

**WHEREAS**, without that cap, as much as \$945 million could be deposited into the State Housing Trust Fund for housing programs next year but with the cap only \$243 million may be deposited into the Trust fund,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**, that this Board:

Section 1. Urges Florida Legislature to enact legislation removing the limitation scheduled to take affect on July 1, 2007, on the amount of proceeds which may be deposited into the State Housing Trust Fund.

Section 2. Directs the Clerk of the Board to transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Governor, the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, Representative Mike Davis, and the Chair and members of the Miami-Dade County State Legislative Delegation.

Section 3. Directs the County's state lobbyists to advocate for the passage of the legislation set forth in Section 1 above, and directs the Office of Intergovernmental Affairs to include this item in the 2006 State Legislative Package.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan,  
Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle and Commissioner Katy Sorenson and offered by Commissioner  
, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner  
and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	
Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman	
Bruno A. Barreiro	Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Audrey M. Edmonson	Carlos A. Gimenez
Sally A. Heyman	Barbara J. Jordan
Dorrin D. Rolle	Natacha Seijas
Katy Sorenson	Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto	

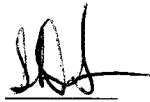
The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2006. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
BY ITS BOARD OF  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.



Shannon D. Summerset

